

10 MISSION SUPPORT GROUP



MISSION

The 10 Mission Support Group provides highest possible quality support to enhance the education and development of more than 4,000 future Air Force leaders. The 10th MSG is responsible for civil engineering; morale, welfare and recreation programs; military and civilian personnel; communications and computers; security forces; transportation, supply and contracting support for more than 14,000 military and civilian personnel. The group also preserves and improves a \$3.5-billion base infrastructure.

LINEAGE

Established 10 Airdrome Group, 14 Nov 1947

Disestablished, 27 Aug 1948

10 Air Base Group activated, 25 Aug 1948

Inactivated, 1 Apr 1949

10 Airdrome Group and 10 Air Base Group consolidated, 1 Oct 1948

Activated, 10 Jul 1952

Redesignated 10 Combat Support Group, 15 Feb 1962

Redesignated 10 Support Group, 31 Mar 1993

Inactivated, 1 Nov 1994

Activated, 11 Mar 2002

Redesignated 10 Mission Support Group

STATIONS

Pope Field (later Pope AFB), NC

Spangdahlem AB, Germany, 10 Jul 1952

RAF Alconbury, England, 25 Aug 1959
U.S. Air Force Academy 11 Mar 2002

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

Col Timothy D. Ferguson
Col Michael A. Addison, Jr., Jul 2011

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

Azure, in sinister base, a globe axis bendwise Argent gridlined of the field, in dexter a compass rose of the second garnished Or all below in chief a demi-figure of the mythical Greek god Argus fesswise face to base dexter arm extended of the last, all within a diminished bordure of the like. Attached below the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "10TH MISSION SUPPORT GROUP" in Blue letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The demi-figure represents the mythological Greek god Argus, the symbol of the heavens and overseer of all movements on earth, as denoted by the globe. Together, they signify the unit's lineage of air observation and reconnaissance. The compass rose reflects the Group's capabilities to defend the peace anywhere in the world.

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

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Sources

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